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1. In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in conformance with the procedures of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98 and M.P.E.P. § 609, attorneys for Applicants hereby bring the references listed on the attached modified PTO form 1449 to the attention of the Examiner. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.
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						YES	NO
	DE 38 12 120	October 26, 1989	Germany			X*	
	EP 0 725 505 ~	August 7, 1996	Europe			X*	
	DE 44 22 235	January 11, 1996	Germany			X*	
	EP 0 725 501	August 7, 1996	Europe			X*	
	DE 41 12 828	October 22, 1992	Germany			X*	
	DE 37 21 279	February 4, 1988	Germany			X**	

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OTHER DOCUMENTS

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